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## OVERSEA TRADE

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. Apparel and Attire; this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed £A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" £A f.o.b. or "domestic value" £A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	December 1961	December 1962	Six months ended 31st December	
				1961	1962
Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco					
Butter	'000 lb.	40	-	441	73
Cheese	'000 lb.	1,165	1,687	9,137	7,161
Flour (inc. Semolina)	ton	5,138	6,221	39,699	49,586
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	128	237	4,104	2,303
Raisins	'000 lb.	191	1,276	7,163	11,627
Other	'000 lb.	7	16	825	1,159
Fresh - Apples	case	-	-	1,710	-
Preserved and Pulped	'000 lb.	292	409	5,155	8,022
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	604	-	13,542	560
Oats	'000 bush.	-	14	898	14
Wheat	'000 bush.	2,508	758	14,295	4,956
Meat - Lamb	'000 lb.	39	4,541	5,304	14,761
Peas (inc. Split Peas)	cental	35	2,338	26,814	23,847
Spirituuous Liquors	pf gal.	6,038	8,336	38,649	40,415
Wine	'000 gal.	111	42	901	779
Animal and Vegetable Substances (not Foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	11,038	21,400	63,348	98,793
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	14,306	16,731	83,887	86,482
Other	'000 lb.	1,027	1,059	7,123	7,026
Minerals, Metals, & Metal Manufactures					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	85	504	767	1,604
Concentrates and Ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	-	165	278	355
Lead and Silver-Lead	'000 cwt	83	187	470	1,067
Zinc	'000 cwt	497	242	2,065	1,535
Metals & Metal Manufactures -					
Iron and Steel Scrap	'000 cwt	4	1	264	184
Lead (Pig)	'000 cwt	429	228	1,659	1,523
Silver (Bars, Ingots)	'000 fine oz.	75	-	452	4

- Nil or less than half final digit.

1. INTRODUCTION

2. THE PROBLEM

3. THE METHOD

4. THE RESULTS

5. CONCLUSION

TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	December 1961	December 1962	Six months ended	
			31st December	
			1961	1962
			£'000	
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Butter	5	-	55	9
Cheese	93	148	735	623
Fish (inc. Crayfish)	-	16	32	74
Flour (inc. Semolina)	155	202	1,169	1,521
Fruit, Dried - Currants	7	15	244	136
Raisins	14	83	505	740
Other	1	3	120	174
Fresh - Apples	-	-	3	-
Other	29	21	148	177
Juices and Syrups	1	1	4	18
Preserved and Pulped	18	26	333	468
Grain - Barley	224	-	5,959	299
Oats	-	8	253	8
Wheat	1,765	557	9,917	3,779
Honey	2	8	75	56
Meat - Lamb	3	381	382	1,243
Other	157	149	560	990
Peas (inc. Split Peas)	-	6	63	59
Spirituuous Liquors	12	17	73	73
Wine	90	51	700	648
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances (not Foodstuffs)</u>				
Hides and Skins	170	316	1,585	2,012
Tallow	31	53	209	249
Wool - Greasy	3,341	3,866	19,358	19,191
Other	393	357	2,575	2,354
<u>Minerals, Metals, &amp; Metal Manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	8	53	117	186
Concentrates and Ores -				
Copper	-	580	946	1,224
Lead and Silver-lead	236	462	1,326	2,618
Zinc	447	181	1,864	1,310
Metals and Metal Manufactures -				
Cadmium	22	-	40	8
Iron and Steel Scrap	3	1	215	105
Lead (Pig)	1,524	718	6,373	4,772
Machinery and Vehicles	152	345	1,383	1,340
Silver (Bars, Ingots)	33	-	188	2
Other Metals & Metal Manufactures	307	257	2,046	1,295
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics	19	7	87	63
Salt	53	31	200	157
All Other	86	311	1,082	1,089
TOTAL EXPORTS	9,401	9,230	60,924	49,070

(a) The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

- Nil or less than £500.

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TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED (a) : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	December 1961	December 1962	Six months ended 31st December	
			1961	1962
		£'000		
<u>Foodstuffs, Alcoholic Liquors, Tobacco</u>				
Cocoa, Coffee, and Chicory	3	9	70	77
Fish	53	50	249	273
Tea	35	52	285	251
Tobacco and Cigarettes	10	13	58	71
Whisky	2	9	39	39
<u>Animal and Vegetable Substances (not Foodstuffs)</u>				
Apparel and Attire	14	20	114	146
Bags and Sacks	78	9	2,430	1,079
Fibres - Vegetable	1	57	407	676
Paper, Paper Pulp, and Paper Board	122	248	746	1,156
Rubber and Rubber Goods	28	60	253	427
Stationery and Books (incl. Paper Manufactures)	113	97	709	661
Textiles and Piecegoods	141	168	1,189	1,583
Timber	160	162	841	1,392
Yarns	6	10	46	73
<u>Paints, Drugs, Chemicals, Plastics</u>				
Drugs, Chemicals, and Medicines	112	109	782	898
Fertilizers	83	80	471	446
Paints, Varnishes, and Pigments	11	28	80	150
Plastic Materials, Fibres, and Yarns	28	51	330	614
<u>Minerals, Metals, and Metal Manufactures</u>				
Cutlery and Platedware	5	8	34	62
Electrical Equipment	168	192	1,551	2,450
Iron and Steel	56	196	610	1,339
Machines and Machinery -				
Dynamo Electrical	48	35	337	672
Other	459	753	3,741	5,226
Non-ferrous Metals	18	38	104	240
Vehicles -				
Aircraft and Parts	6	6	70	87
Motor Vehicles and Parts	103	639	1,426	6,832
Motor Cycles, Cycles and Parts	6	12	58	88
Other Vehicles and Parts	44	38	109	191
Wire	8	21	48	180
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures	113	90	837	981
<u>Oils, Fats, Waxes</u>				
Petrol	68	85	787	995
Kerosene	7	42	169	321
Lubricating Oils (Mineral)	2	91	334	333
Other	16	100	314	506
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Arms, Ammunition, Explosives	7	7	36	59
Earthenware - Ceramic Tiles	12	19	64	117
Householdware	19	18	142	178
Glass and Glassware	49	94	349	738
Instruments - Musical	8	4	38	51
Scientific	17	17	120	141
Jewellery and Timepieces	36	10	175	145
Outside Packages (a)	44	92	413	771
All Other	274	264	1,874	2,198
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,593	4,103	22,839	34,913

(a) See note (a) page 2.

